

Patent Claims

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1. Replay appliance for recording media containing
information blocks, having means for access, at a
5 defined playing time, to the recording media
 having a scanning device comprising:

a search means for binary searching of the recording
medium on the basis of a replay time, and

10 a comparator for comparing a replay time which has been
 found with a desired replay time are provided in the
 replay appliance, and the scanning device scans the
 recording medium at a point which corresponds to the
 result of the comparison, for access at a defined
 playing time.

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2. Replay appliance according to Claim 1, wherein the
search means for binary searching is a comparator for
comparing information read from the recording medium
with a binary word, and an evaluator for evaluating a
A 20 recording medium replay time ~~is~~ contained in a file
 ~~associated with~~
 ~~characterized by~~ the binary word.

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3. Replay appliance according to Claim 2, wherein the
comparator is a mask for comparing information read
from the recording medium with a binary word.

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4. Replay appliance according to Claim 2, wherein the
binary word is a designator recorded on the recording
medium.

5. Replay appliance according to Claim 4, wherein the
designator is a navigation sector designator.

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6. Replay appliance according to Claim 1, wherein the
desired replay time is a replay time which is intended
for access, at a defined playing time, to the recording
medium.

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